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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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HELEN BILIK, ELIZABETH BOONE,	:	Civ. No.: 08 Civ 3280
MARY J. MAHAR, CAROLYN S. CROFT,	:	
GERALDINE M. ALAPECK, DEAN	:	
SANTACROSE, and STASIA SIMMONS,	:	DECLARATION OF SERVICE AND
	:	FILING
Plaintiffs,	:	
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-against-	:	
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PFIZER, INC., PHARMACIA	:	
CORPORATION, a wholly-owned subsidiary	:	
of PFIZER, INC., and PHARMACIA &	:	
UPJOHN COMPANY, a wholly-owned	:	
subsidiary of PHARMACIA	:	
CORPORATION, and MERCK & CO, INC.,	:	
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Defendants.	:	
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Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, JENNIFER ALPERN HECHT declares:

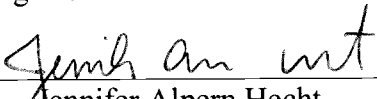
1. I am over the age of 18 years and I am not a party to this action. I am associated with the firm of Hughes Hubbard & Reed LLP, attorneys for Defendant Merck & Co., Inc.
2. On April 1, 2008, the Notice of Removal of Defendant Merck & Co., Inc. was duly filed in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York.

3. On April 2, 2008, I caused a true and accurate copy of the Notice of Removal and the Notice of Filing of Notice of Removal of Defendant Merck & Co., Inc. to be served via first-class mail, postage prepaid, on plaintiff's counsel, Ronald R. Benjamin, Esq., Law Office of Ronald R. Benjamin, 126 Riverside Drive, P.O. Box 607, Binghamton, NY 13902-0607.

4. On April 3, 2008, I caused a true and accurate copy of the Notice of Removal and the Notice of Filing of Notice of Removal of Defendant Merck & Co., Inc. to be served via first-class mail, postage prepaid, on co-defendant's counsel, Amy W. Schulman, Esq. and Christopher Strongosky, Esq., DLA Piper Rudnick Gray Cary US LLP, 1251 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10004.

5. On April 3, 2008, the Notice of Filing of Notice of Removal of Defendant Merck & Co., Inc. was duly filed in the Supreme Court of the State of New York, County of New York.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.



Jennifer Alpern Hecht